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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully petition for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated September 8, 2005. This petition extends the time for response until January 8, 2006.

Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$120.00 payable to the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, which is the amount for a one-month extension of time given in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1).

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